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Charles Shattuck of High street is at Hampton beach for ten days.

Eldred Larkin of Chestnut street is sojourning at Hampton beach.

James Marshall of the T. A. Holt Co. is enjoying a week's vacation.

Francis Mahoney of the Andover Press is spending a week at Hampton beach.

Harry Evans of J. P. West's bakery store is spending his vacation at Hampton beach.

William D. Sellers of Brook street is at Concordville, York beach, Me., for two weeks.

Mrs. Frank Wright and son Foster have returned from a week's stay at Hampton beach.

Mrs. Harry Remick and son Charles of Maple avenue are at Bethlehem, N. H., for a two weeks' stay.

Arthur Jenkins of the Andover Savings bank is enjoying a two weeks' stay at Concordville, York Beach, Me.

Miss Marion Abbott of High street has entered the employ of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance company.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy and daughters Lilian and Florence of Wolcott avenue, are at Salisbury beach for two weeks.

Miss Helen Doody, book keeper at Smith & Manning's grocery store, is spending a two weeks' vacation at Wolfeboro, N. H.

Miss Lucy B. Abbott, district nurse and Miss Emily Sprague are members of the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce party to the Panama exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana W. Clark and daughter, who have been visiting at the home of William C. Coutts on Maple avenue, have returned to Chicago, Ill.

The West church will welcome to its pulpit Sunday morning the Rev. Frederick W. Greene of Middletown, Conn., its former well known pastor, and it is hoped many of his friends whether members of the church or not will attend.

Walter Lawson of Maple avenue spent a few days this week at Somersworth, N. H.

Mrs. Philip Leslie of Haverhill street, Five village, is spending the week with relatives in Lynn.

Miss Arlene Maskell of the Tye Rubber company's office is at Hampton beach for two weeks.

Miss Ada Hall, of the Merrimack Insurance Co.'s office, is spending her vacation at Rockland, Me.

Miss Gertrude Brady of the Smith & Dove Manufacturing company's office is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Eliza Spaulding, teacher in the Stowe School, will spend the next ten days in Springfield and Connecticut.

George Collins of the Andover Press is enjoying his annual vacation at Salisbury beach and Manchester-on-the-Sea.

The annual field day of the Lawrence and District football league will be held tomorrow afternoon on the local cricket grounds.

Miss Marion Spence has resumed her duties at the Smith & Dove Manufacturing company's office after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Colver J. Stone and family have returned to their home on Locke street after enjoying a month's stay at Hampton beach.

Miss Dora Ward of the Smith & Dove Manufacturing company's office is spending a two weeks' vacation at Old Orchard Beach, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wakefield have returned to their home on Maple avenue after enjoying a week's vacation, spent at York beach and other resorts.

Mrs. Thomas Morrissey and daughter of Lynn spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Guthrie of Breechin Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Rylance W. Platt of Lawrence are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter born Saturday. Mrs. Platt was formerly Miss Flora B. Lindsay of Summer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander MacKenzie of Cuba street are spending two weeks at Hull.

Miss Frances Angus of Red Spring road is spending the week at York Beach, Me.

Miss Pearl Brown of J. P. West's bakery is enjoying her annual vacation of two weeks.

Austin P. Wade and family of Wolcott street are in Maine for a two weeks' vacation.

James C. Hunter and daughter Miss Jennie of Brook street, are at Ogunquit, Me., for two weeks.

Ivan Stedman, of the Central Fire station is at New Haven Junction, Vt. for a two weeks' outing.

Americo Michelini and John Basso are spending a week's vacation in Tarrytown, N. Y. and Atlantic City, N. J.

Mrs. Frank Cole and daughter have returned to their home in Elm street after a six weeks' stay at Hampton beach.

Jesse Billington of the Smith & Dove Manufacturing company's office is spending a two weeks' vacation at Grape Island.

John W. Bell is still picking strawberries and several quarts this week from everbearing vines were as luscious as any in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Foster of High street left town Tuesday for Wakefield where they will make their home with their son, Philip W. Foster.

Miss Wisbauer who has been spending two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Morrison on Elm street has returned to her home in New York.

Mrs. Frank A. Buttrick and family of Wolcott avenue and Mrs. Martin R. Sawyer of Maple avenue have returned from a month's stay in camp at East Wolfeboro, N. H.

Saturday afternoon at three o'clock on the local playstead the Royals will play the Winchell A. A. baseball team of Haverhill. This is one of the strongest amateur nines on the Shoe City and there should be a large attendance as a good game is assured. Remmes will pitch for the Royals.

Winfield W. Lunt, supervisor of manual training in the public schools has tendered his resignation to Supt. of Schools, J. Francis Allison to take effect at once. Mr. Lunt who has been engaged in Andover for two years has done excellent work. He will devote his whole attention to Ipswich, with which town and Andover, Mr. Lunt has divided his time.

David L. Coutts of the Andover Press is enjoying a week's vacation.

Jeremiah Connors, driver for Charles Emerson, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Hickey of Essex street spent the week end at Salisbury beach.

Laurence Colby of High street has secured the local agency for the Maxwell automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Chapel of Atlanta, Ga. visited Mrs. Henry Cunningham, Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Bradbury of Malden spent the week-end with their aunt, Miss Ellen J. Abbott.

Several local baseball fans attended the opening game at the Braves new field in Boston, Wednesday afternoon.

Joseph Murphy of High street is enjoying his annual vacation part of which he has been spending at Hampton Beach.

The members of the Women's Relief Corps are enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Carl Elander at her camp at Foster's Pond today.

Rev. Clark Carter will be the preacher at the South church Sunday morning and Mrs. John Peacock, contralto of Lawrence the soloist.

Miss Elizabeth Gordon, assistant bookkeeper for the T. A. Holt Co., is spending a two weeks' vacation at the Lawrence-Andover Cottage, York Beach, Me.

At the annual Sam Sam of the employees of the United Shoe Machinery Co. held at Beverly last Saturday, William Black, formerly of this town, won second place in the 100-yd. dash, 220-yd. dash and broad jump.

The Andover Brass Band will give a concert in the bandstand on the Park Wednesday evening, September 1. The concert is made possible by the generosity of the members of the Board of Public Works and a few citizens of the town. The concert will begin at 8 o'clock and the program will be published in next week's paper.

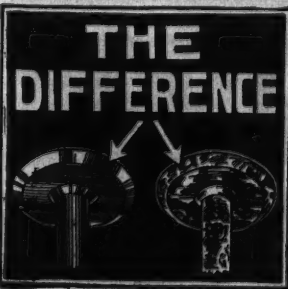
The Andover Canoe club will hold a corn roast at Pomp's pond on Saturday afternoon, August 21. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend. The start will be made promptly at 4 p.m. from the club house on the Shawshoan. On September 6 an up-river trip is planned for, while on the evening of Sept. 15 a dancing party will be held in the club house at 8 p.m. On Sept. 25 a picnic will be held at Pomp's pond, with a dance in the evening at the club house.

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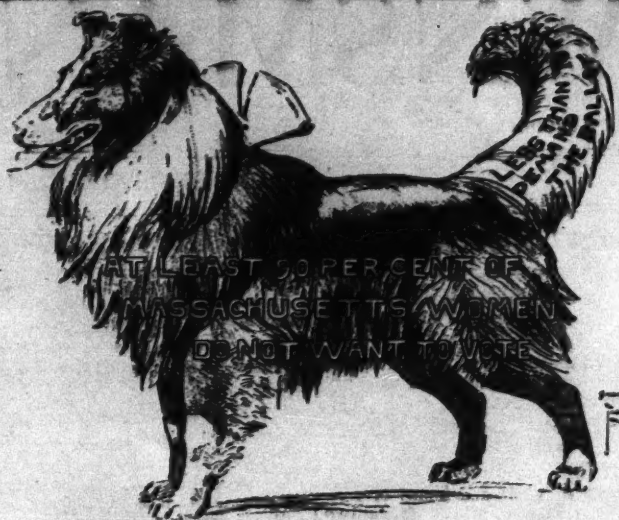
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ANTI-SUFFRAGE NOTES

It is true as Miss Alice Stone Blackwell says—Each arbitrary and fixed unit of area called a state has two voters in the senate no matter what its population. The compiler of these notes calls attention again to the fact that most of the woman suffrage states are under the control of the Mormons, and begs the voters of the commonwealth of Massachusetts to do all in their power to prevent the further encroachment of Mormonism, a deadlier enemy to civilization than was slavery.

The suffragists love to talk of "the eight million women who work in store, factory and shop," and who need the vote. There is no such number thus engaged. Every farmer's wife who sells a dozen eggs occasionally to a neighbor is included in this eight million gainfully employed, as well as every little cash girl in the shops who could not vote for years. According to the United States census those women really in "store, factory and shop" who are old enough to vote number 3,088,899. Competing with these three million women in industry are 25 million men. If, as suffragists say, "men have established an absolute tyranny over women" and they cannot get what they want without the vote, will some suffrage statistician kindly explain how three million women are going to take anything away from twenty-five million men with the vote?

Even that ardent friend of suffrage, the Boston American, can, it seems, be shocked by the actions of the suffragists. On July 27th, under the heading "A Degradation and a Disgrace to Woman Suffrage" the American says:

"A thing happened in New York the other night that ought not to happen again.

"A number of men, for the making of money, organized a brutal prize fight. And women—ordinarily respectable, we presume, in their methods and in their actions—appeared at this prize fight, and between the fighting talked about woman suffrage.

"Women ought not to go into the sewers to talk suffrage, or go into disorderly resorts—least of all appear in a prize fight gathering.

"We take a charitable view of the women who went to that particular prize fight, and assume that they were ignorant and ill-advised, rather than vulgarly seeking to advertise themselves and gratify a morbid interest. We do not assume that they belong to the limited class of women unfit to vote or share in any important undertaking.

"We call the attention of intelligent and well-informed women in the suffrage movement to this particular piece of folly and bad taste. * * * Nothing would give more powerful backing to the argument of those who say that woman suffrage would be a step in the direction of woman's immorality.

"Those people responsible for this particular folly should be eliminated from the councils of the woman suffrage party."

"Those responsible for this particular folly" are women so important in the ranks of the suffragists that the advice to "eliminate" them is not likely to be followed. Mrs. Norman deR. Whitehouse, one of the most popular suffrage leaders in New York, who organized Suffrage Telephone Day, and whose name is connected with most of the activities of New York suffragists, was a ring leader in the prize fight affair and was present at the fight.

McDOUGALL'S MUSINGS

A Round About Paper

Will Walsh replace himself as governor of Massachusetts? As it looks today it is very likely that he will. Every one who knows anything, knows that this is a Republican state, but there are some Democrats also, and if four horses run three of them with Republican colors, and divide the Republican vote into three it does not need a prophet to say that the horse carrying the Democrat colors will win. Mr. Foss is not a "Fossil" and tells his two friends, McCall and Cushing, to retire and let him win the election.

Even with three horses running, Walsh will win the race, at least the betting would be in his favor. Mr. McCall would, I think, beat any Democratic candidate if there were no "Fossils" and Shaws to divide the Republican vote, not because he is a stand-pat, old-fashioned high-tariff Republican, but because the voters in this state are tired of having a Democratic governor in this holy Republican state of Massachusetts.

It is not for me to say whether the present tariff or the Aldrich-Payne "swindle" is the best for the country. All I say just now is that if the woolen trade cannot do with free wool and 50 percent tariff on the goods they make, there is something wrong with the tariff.

I have used the bad word swindle. Mr. Taft signed the Aldrich-Payne bill after saying that it was not a just measure but a mockery, so you can choose any of these words or invent another word. As Dandie Dimmont said when he drank the whiskey they were to bathe his wounded head with, "It's a' ane to Dandie, outside or inside if the whiskey is there."

In speaking about the European war last week I intended to say something about the work the British women are doing. My niece tells me that she has charge of 20 families where bread winners are fighting or have fought their last fight. She goes to visit them every week and sees to it that they get their government allowance of money, namely four dollars and seventy-five cents

for each widow, and one dollar for each child.

At the same time my niece receives from the soldiers' mothers, sisters and widows, stockings, jerseys etc. which they have knit, giving them the worsted yarn free which a society of ladies calling themselves the Soldiers' Dorcas Society, provide.

Then all the clothing made by these Dorcas women and that made by the soldiers' widows, sisters and mothers is carefully packed and sent on to headquarters. The whole of Britain is now an armed camp so far as women's work for the soldiers is concerned.

How the British government has up till now financed this war is a puzzle to me. She will no doubt, like Germany, if she continues to spend 15 million dollars a day on this war, be obliged to borrow money, and the country that can get credit longest will win.

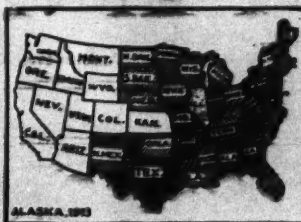
Senator Lodge pays his compliments to that honest, good man, President Wilson when speaking at Worcester last week. Mr. Lodge said that the President should be repudiated. (I took the trouble to look up the meaning of that big word in the dictionary.) All I say is that our President has in my opinion behaved wisely as to Mexico and in his correspondence with England and Germany.

One sentence from Mr. Lodge's grand Worcester oration makes him a small headed man to me, when he urged the Republican party in this state to elect a Republican governor and at the same time a "pure" Republican slate all the way down so that every office in the state might be in the hands of the Republican party and then sneered at the foolishness of Governor Walsh who gave jobs to what he considered suitable men irrespective of party.

The only part of Senator Lodge's speech that I liked was when he said that the Republican party, "perhaps deserved" to be split in two in 1912. As I look at it, there was no perhaps about it they just got what they deserved.

IAN McDOUGALL

EQUAL SUFFRAGE NOTES



To the Voters of Andover:

The question of equal suffrage comes before you on the second of November. Have you informed yourselves upon the subject? Miss Esther De Wire of Boston is assisting the Andover Equal Suffrage League for three weeks by calling upon every voter in order to give him information on this subject. The League hopes to help the busy voter by giving him the information he may desire.

Andover Equal Suffrage League.

The convention of the New York State Association of Police Chiefs, held in Watertown the other day, passed the following resolution, after listening to an address from Miss Harriet May Mills:

"We, the chiefs of police of New York State, in annual convention assembled, believing in the principles of American democracy, and recognizing that the women of New York State are as fit to exercise the right of suffrage as the four million women now voting in the West, do hereby resolve that we are in favor of the passage of the woman suffrage amendment to the State constitution next November."

This action is commended to those opponents of equal suffrage who feel nervous about the "bad women's vote." The Chiefs of Police know much more about the criminal element, both male and female, than is known by the average citizen; and they evidently have no fear of the bad women's votes. Probably they remembered that only six per cent of this country's criminals are women.

A. S. B.

The suffrage headquarters was opened in the Playdon store on Main street on Wednesday, August 18th and will continue through Saturday, August 29th. The hours are 2.30 to 6 p.m. every day and Saturday evenings. The public is cordially invited to make use of this opportunity for hearing and giving suffrage arguments.

If At All, Why Not All?

There are just fifteen States in the Union in which no women vote for anything whatever. There are eleven full suffrage States and one other where women vote for president. There are twenty-one other States in which women have a partial right to vote—generally for members of school boards.

"So in two thirds of the United States," says the Independent, "the question is no longer, 'Shall women vote?' It is rather, 'Shall women who vote for this be allowed to vote for that as well?' And in one quarter of the States even that searching question has been answered in the affirmative."

"Let us face the issue squarely. 'Since women may vote on child education, why not on child labor?'

"Since women may have a hand in the spending of public moneys for hiring school teachers, why not for employing food inspectors?"

"Since their votes may influence the building of a school house, why not of a post office?"

"If women are to vote at all, they should vote in all States. If woman's place is in the home, it is as bad for her to take a place in a school board as in a health board."

"For two-thirds of the United States, the question of woman's voting is settled. The only open question is 'the further extension of suffrage to women.' To that question logic, good sense and fair play have but one answer."

Through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Playdon, the Andover Equal Suffrage League has opened a headquarters in the Playdon store on Main street from Wednesday, August 18th through Saturday the 29th. The room will be open from 2.30 to 6 p.m. every afternoon and on Saturday evenings; tea will be served and the public is cordially invited to drop in and enjoy the league's hospitality. Literature will be on hand and if any man or woman desires to ask questions they will be answered to the best of the hostesses' ability. Mrs. H. A. S. Read and Mrs. Colver Stone were hostesses on Wednesday and Mrs. Philip French and Mrs. J. M. Birdsell, on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Esther DeWire who is assisting the league for three weeks by distributing literature and information on equal suffrage throughout Andover expects to be at the headquarters every afternoon for a couple of hours and will gladly answer questions and give information. Every man and woman in Andover is urged to make use of this opportunity to hear the suffrage arguments.

Disappointed

"Did you enjoy the fair?" "I was disappointed in one thing," replied Mrs. Needleplate, who has gone in for country life. "I looked all over the cattle pavilion for an equinox, but I guess no one exhibited any this year."

An Instance

Knicker—Time brings many strange chances. Bocker—Yes. The boy whose mother can't make him wash his neck grows up to be a rich man who goes abroad for baths. —Harper's Bazar.

BOSTON THEATRES



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"EXPERIENCE"

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"Experience," the famous modern morality drama by George V. Hobart, with the record of a nine months' run in New York last season, comes to the Shubert Theatre, Boston, Saturday night, August 28th, for a limited engagement. The play is in ten scenes, and is acted by a company of 82 players. It is a thrilling drama of life, showing in these ten widely contrasting scenes the different experiences and temptations which confront youth when he goes forth into the world in search of Fame and Fortune. One reason for the tremendous success of the play may perhaps be found in the fact that Mr. Hobart's drama so accurately reproduces many of the actual experiences which really happen to most young men, and everyone in the audience recognizes the truth of the portrayal. How Youth is saved from a life of degradation, through the uplifting influence of a good woman's love is a strong and sentimental appeal of great power.

"Experience" will be given a private performance Friday night, August 27th, before a specially invited audience of ministers only. No tickets will be placed on sale for this private performance. The first public performance will be Saturday night, and thereafter "Experience" will be presented every night, and at the Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

A special scale of prices will prevail at the Shubert for "Experience." The entire lower floor will be \$1.50, except at the Wednesday matinee, when \$1

will be the top price. These prices have never before been charged at the Shubert.

"NOBODY HOME"

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One of the big theatrical events of the year will be the opening of the Wilbur Theatre, Monday evening, August 23d, with the musical comedy success "Nobody Home," which will be presented by F. Ray Comstock and Elizabeth Marbury, direct from a run of six months in New York, with the original New York cast, headed by the inimitable English comedian, Lawrence Grossmith, capably assisted by Adele Rowland, Maude Odell, Charles Jodels, George Lydecker and others.

"Nobody Home" is best described as a wealth of delightful, syncopating music, with a dash of pretty girls, the very newest thing in modern dancing and a cast of artists. One of the principal features of the production is the dancing done by Quentin Tod and Helen Clarke, the latest find of Elizabeth Marbury, who for several years managed and was responsible for the success of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle.

The music of "Nobody Home" scarcely needs an introduction as its fame and melodic powers have traveled long in advance of the production. Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, has purchased a box for the opening performance. Governor Walsh and Mayor Curley, will occupy boxes, and all the smart set from the North Shore and Newport will be on hand Monday evening, August 23d.

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Fifty reservists from Lawrence on their way to fight for Italy were in the parade of 3000 reservists which was in the midst of riotous scenes at Commonwealth pier, Boston, Sunday afternoon, while about to embark on the steamer Canopic bound for Genoa, Italy.

Although the date of the eighth annual outing of the Essex County Associated Boards of Trade is several weeks away, yet a number of applications have been received at the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce already for members of the chamber who want to take in the event.

At the special session of the school board held Monday afternoon in the High school to consider a site for locating the 12-room primary grade structure in Precincts One or Four no action was taken by the board and further time will be consumed before making known its views on the matter.

Compliments and expressions of praise of the Lawrence exhibit at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition continue to be received. Here is one of the most recent:

San Francisco, July 31st, 1915.

Robert J. Macartney:

Lawrence is surely on the map. The Lawrence Chamber of Commerce is certainly to be congratulated on the splendid Lawrence exhibit at the Exposition here. No other city has anything like it. Some of the western boom cities can well take notice.

(Signed) John L. Knowlton.

Five persons narrowly escaped death or serious injury when an automobile and a buggy collided near Carney's corner, North Andover about 10 o'clock last Monday night. Oscar Christian of 297 Broadway and Rudolph and Gordon Jensen of the Saxonia House who were riding in the automobile, received multiple cuts and bruises but the occupants of the buggy escaped uninjured. Rudolph Jensen sustained a fracture of the left arm.

The lives of several women and children were placed in jeopardy, when a large black horse, driven by an Italian, became unmanageable at the corner of Union and Salem streets, last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Undertaker John Breen, who happened on the scene at the time, and realizing the predicament of the women and children, and the maddened horse, dashed in their path, grabbed the horse by the bridle and threw him into a barbed wire fence, where he became tangled and unable to free himself. When the animal was brought up short, the driver of the wagon together with two other men who were in the team were thrown to the ground but escaped with minor bruises. The horse was afterwards freed, badly cut from the wire.

METHUEN

The annual outing of Court Excelsior, A. O. F., was held Saturday afternoon at Canobie Lake and was largely attended by members and their friends.

The repairs at the Baptist church are gaining headway. The auditorium and vestibule have been painted, the pews will be upholstered and new carpets will be laid. In the vestry minor repairs are being made. The church will be ready for occupancy probably the second Sunday in September.

Posters have appeared announcing the Rockingham fair which will be held in Salem, N. H., Sept. 28, 29, 30, and Oct. 1. A number of local people and organizations are planning exhibits at the fair. The local organizations made an excellent showing there last year and hope to do even better this year.

Next Sunday Rev. Hugh Hartshorne of New York, formerly of this town, will preach at the Congregational church. Other Sundays during the month's absence of Rev. C. H. Oliphant will be supplied by Rev. Robert Macdonald of Worcester, Prof. Ryder of Andover and Rev. F. C. Rogers of Portland, Me.

Granville E. Foss, one of Methuen's leading citizens, received the congratulations of numerous friends Monday on the occasion of his 73rd birthday. Mr. Foss is in good health and just as active as in past years. A native of Methuen, Mr. Foss has always lived here and has had numerous political honors bestowed upon him. He was moderator for about 40 years, having declined to serve longer about a year ago. He has also served the town as selectman and for several terms he represented the town in the legislature. He is the senior master of John Hancock lodge, A. F. and A. M. and a past grand of Hope lodge, I. O. O. F.

Seated by the family fireside in his comfortable South Londonderry, Vt., home John Rau for 11 years an employee of the Town of Methuen street department will enjoy reminiscences of his days in the old town which will be brought back to his mind while enjoying a handsome meerschaum pipe presented to him Saturday noon by Highway surveyor Robert Dow on behalf of the employees of the street department. The presentation took place at the town stables on Osgood street and was attended by all the employees. Mr. Rau leaves early next week for South Londonderry, Vt., where he has bought a farm and home and will be accompanied by Mrs. Rau.

The minor repairs which have been made on several of the school houses during the summer vacation have been completed.

Candidates for representative in the Fifth Essex district, which includes Methuen, who have filed their nomination papers include the present representatives, Arthur Bower and George Bunting, together with Henry W. Gessing, Ira S. Frye and Edward Riley, all of Methuen, candidates for the Republican nomination; and for the Democratic nomination the candidates are William J. Sullivan, Fred W. Schlapp, and R. A. A. Camparone.

NORTH ANDOVER

The regular meetings of the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church have been discontinued until September.

Photographs of the North Andover Historical society's recent historical display at their grounds have been finished.

Rev. John Higgins, D. D., of Philadelphia, Pa., will preach in the Trinitarian Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening.

The annual outing of the Essex club will be held Saturday at Sontag Inn, Lynnfield. Many of the local Republicans are expected to attend.

The same precinct officers who served at the last election have been agreed upon by the board of selectmen to serve at the coming state primaries.

Many attended the H. & G. dance in Grange hall last Friday evening. It was a pleasant affair. The Independent Orchestra of three pieces furnished the music.

Arthur L. Emery, a student at Dartmouth college appeared in the role of "Friar Tuck," in the Elizabethan pageant drama "Robin of Sherwood," recently presented at the institution named.

The renovating which has been going on for two weeks at Odd Fellows' hall is not yet completed but will probably be done this week. A new carpet will be laid, and fresco work will be done on the ceiling and walls.

Richard Sullivan, a youth of Lawrence who was visiting on Sutton street fell into the Merrimack river the other day and was rescued by William Doran, a youth of the same street. The boy was having a hard time struggling in the water when he was taken out.

Mrs. J. Gardner who has been visiting here after presenting some art treasures to the American government has left for New York where she will sail for France to join her husband there. The treasures were given by the French Society of Art. Both Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge have been doing some great work while in France.

The dates for registration prior to the state primaries and election have been fixed as follows by the board of registrars of voters:

Friday, September 10—Selectmen's office, 7:30 until 9 p. m.

Friday, October 16—Town hall, 7:30 until 9 p. m.

Saturday, October 23—Selectmen's office, 12 m. until 10 p. m.

After a hearing at which no demonstrations appeared the local board of selectmen in regular weekly session last Monday night granted the petition of the Bay State Street Railway company to extend its double tracks from the new Shawheen bridge through Cotton street to the terminus of the Brightwood mill fronting on that thoroughfare.

Tree Warden Fred W. Phelan of this town came in for much praise and commendation during the past week when a party of naturalists, enroute on an automobile tour of Massachusetts, encircled the town and in consequence of their inspection spoke in the highest terms of the care and attention reflected in the appearance of the shade trees which line the town highways. Local residents as well as visitors have commented upon the splendid condition of the town trees and appreciate the good work which is being done by the tree warden.

ABBOTT VILLAGE NOTES

Miss Isabell Killackey of Cuba street is spending her annual vacation at the hotel Hiawatha, York Beach, Maine.

Miss Helen Driscoll and Miss Charlotte Kelley of Essex street visited friends in Cambridge this week.

The Misses Kate, Margaret and Nellie McCabe of Hillside spent the week end in Lowell.

James Deig of Cambridge spent the week end at the home of his uncle, William Stirling, on Cuba street.

William Haddon, Sr. of Essex street, a prominent member of the Lawrence Cricket team, was one of the players selected to represent the Boston Veterans against the Fall River veterans in an all day cricket match played in Fall River.

Peter Doherty of Cambridge renewed acquaintances in the village at the week end.

David Page who recently left town to reside in Quincy, spent the week end with relatives in town.

The Andover United Football Club will hold a "smoker" in the Cricket Club house Saturday evening the 28th. The committee in charge is Edwin Anderson, William Hyde, Charles Pettes, B. Jackson and John Coleman. Previous successes secured by the efforts of these men insure a good time for all who come.

Miss Cassie Driscoll has returned to her home after spending part of the summer in Biddeford, Maine.

Miss Elizabeth Simm of Stevens street returned to work after an attack of tonsillitis.

The Hearts Football Club will hold a meeting in the village hall Tuesday evening. All young men interested in soccer are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig of North Andover spent the week end at the home of John Ryley on Essex street.

Charles McDermitt overseer for the Smith & Dove Company, is enjoying his annual vacation.

Miss Christian McEwan of Frye Village is spending the week in Lynn.

There will be a meeting of the Andover United Football Club in the Village hall Monday evening. The club has entered a team in the Five—a side competition at the League Field Day to be held on the Cricket grounds tomorrow afternoon. All soccer players and club officials for last season are eligible.

The Hearts football team reorganized for the coming season at a meeting in Abbott Village hall Tuesday evening. The following officers will get the players together and enter the Lawrence Intermediate League Friday night: Thomas Campbell, President; William Greenwood, Vice president and John Campbell, Secretary and treasurer. The next meeting will be held August 24 in the village hall.

THE GROWTH OF SAVINGS BANK LIFE INSURANCE

The reports of the Savings Insurance Banks in Massachusetts show that in the month of July 604 policies were issued, with insurance to the amount of \$150,458. This is the largest amount ever written in any one month. There are now in force 10,766 policies for insurance amounting to \$4,195,631.

It has been decided to issue children's insurance at all ages, from one year of age upward. These policies are now being prepared by the State Actuary.

The Savings Insurance Banks have just issued a group policy covering the lives of 196 employees at W. & A. Bacon Company, Boston.

Mr. J. Russel Marble, one of the leading business men of Worcester, has been appointed a Trustee of the General Insurance Guaranty Fund by Governor Walsh.

Since November 1, 1913, twenty-five new agencies have been established in various factories, Savings Banks and Trust Companies. There are now nearly 300 agencies in manufacturing establishments in Massachusetts.

Full information will be furnished by writing to Savings Bank Life Insurance, 161 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass.

K. of P. News

Dr. Roger S. York of Boston, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias in this domain, who confidently expects that 10 p. c. will be added to the membership of the order in this state during the coming fall and winter will greet more than 50 Pythians holding official positions in the order at a dinner and conference to be held at the Argyle House, Lawrence, next Monday (Aug. 23). It is planned to inform and enthuse the officials, to lay plans for the winter and fall and to consider methods by which greater co-operation in the work of the order may be brought about.

In addition to the deputy grand chancellors recently appointed by him, Dr. York, who will be accompanied by Grand Vice Chancellor Harlan P. Knight of Somerville and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, George E. Howe, will greet the keepers of records and seal and the masters of finance of the lodges in Lawrence, Lowell, Haverhill, Andover, Methuen, Newburyport, Amesbury and West Newbury.

The deputies invited include, Willard L. Blanchard, of Amesbury, deputy of Lucullus Lodge, Newburyport; Parker H. Nason, West Newbury, of Newburyport Lodge, Newburyport; Jacob S. Farrington, of Haverhill, of Phintias Lodge, Amesbury; Fred B. Merrow, Haverhill, of Chevalier-Middlesex Lodge, Lowell; Alfred C. Jensen, North Andover, of Pythias Lodge, Haverhill; Albert R. Smith, West Newbury, of Grecian Lodge, Haverhill; William E. Austin, Haverhill, of Etna Lodge, West Newbury; Edward H. Nossell, Lawrence, of Lowell Lodge, Lowell; Frederick H. Vatter, Lawrence, of Samuel H. Hines Lodge, Lowell; Fred W. Pierce, Georgetown, of Kearsarge Lodge, Methuen; Richard H. Kershaw, Haverhill, of Garfield Lodge, Andover; J. Frank B. Leach, Haverhill, of Quindaro Lodge, Lawrence; James D. Patterson, Haverhill, of Black Prince Lodge, Lawrence; Walter H. Gilman, Lowell, of William B. Gale Lodge, Lawrence; Irwin McQuillin, Newburyport, of Lawrence Lodge, Lawrence; James Forbes, Lawrence, of Ivanhoe Lodge, Charlestown; Aaron J. Berenson, Lawrence, of Unity Lodge, Boston; M. H. Sands, Amesbury, of Roger Walcott Lodge, Beverly; Fred W. Gordon, North Andover, of Stoneham Lodge, Stoneham; Albert W. Lowe, Andover, of Fordell Lodge, Melrose.

The keepers of records and seal and the masters of finance who are expected, the keepers of records and seal in all cases being given first are: F. C. Nichols, Charles F. Nichols, Chevalier-Middlesex Lodge, Lowell; Melvin Eames, Walter Mathison, Lowell Lodge, Lowell; William E. Austin, A. H. Johnson, Palestine Lodge, Haverhill; Williams H. Evans, E. W. Mitchell, Lucullus Lodge, Newburyport; C. B. Spence, Edward H. Hoswell, Quindaro Lodge, Lawrence; H. R. Lawrence, John Nelson, Black Prince Lodge, Lawrence; F. A. Bean, E. B. Stower, Newburyport Lodge, Newburyport; R. C. Fullerton, A. C. Dugdale, Samuel H. Hines Lodge, Lowell; M. D. Sands, H. E. Baxter, Phintias Lodge, Amesbury; Fred B. Merrow, James Phillips, Pythian Lodge, Haverhill; A. Gordon, James Kohler, Kearsarge Lodge, Methuen; James Forbes, I. L. Emmons, William B. Gale Lodge, Lawrence; J. Frank Batchelder, Fred Windle, Grecian Lodge, Haverhill; Aaron J. Berenson, J. W. Levine, Lawrence Lodge, Lawrence; E. M. Lundgren, Ira O. Gray, Garfield Lodge, Andover; Parker H. Nason, S. W. Brown, Etna Lodge, West Newbury; George W. Loveland, E. C. White, Essex Lodge, Lawrence.

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Political History

Each succeeding day's events add new emphasis to a condition which has been foreshadowed for a long time, viz., that there is no room in American politics for more than two active political parties. Events also multiply to show that there is mighty little room in politics at the present time, and bound to be less room in the future, for independent candidacies.

The latest failure of the Progressive party to secure sufficient endorsement to place upon the primary ballot the names of the carefully selected slate for that party's support is one of the most significant political incidents for a long time. Mr. Shaw's failure to have sufficient names certified for his nomination as a Progressive candidate for governor was promptly followed by a declaration by that gentleman that he should have withdrawn anyway, his lengthy statement boiling itself down to the single reason that Mr. Clark, his opponent, had already pronounced in favor of national prohibition. Mr. Shaw's position is not an enviable one at the present time. Every statement he has made has contained a great many "ifs," and it is difficult to understand how, in the light of a recent exposure by the Boston Journal of the sort of campaign which certain Baptist ministers are attempting to make as a supporting organization for a fellow in Boston by the name of Batcheller, Mr. Shaw can much longer defer the discussion of some propositions other than his one single issue. The Baptist ministers' statement practically demanded that Mr. Shaw should give up his issue of prohibition because of the urgency, as they, the ministers, saw it, of the peculiarly narrow issue which they themselves have seen fit to espouse. Mr. Shaw is on record in some very earnest speeches in favor of such legislation as will protect the homes of America without reference to the religious faith in which such homes may be grounded. How he can go back on this broad application of his campaign program is difficult to understand, and he can ill afford to let the public assume that his campaign for prohibition is confined to any particular brand of religious faith or nationality.

While the Progressive and Prohibition candidates are having their troubles, and appear to be in for a great many more, a merry contest is going on in the Republican ranks for practically all of the places on the Republican ticket. The spirit of justice and a fair show, which must usually be complied with if success is to come to any cause, appears likely to control the decision in the Republican party relative to the candidate for governor. If there were no other reasons than the claim which Mr. McCall has upon the voters of the state because of his splendid run a year ago, that reason would be sufficient in the eyes of many people for his renomination and for a harder fight than ever for his successful election this year. The age issue is getting pretty seriously punctured by passing events, not the least important of which is the return to the Republican platform of Senator Lodge. Notwithstanding his three score years and ten, he returns to the attack in favor of Republican principles and in support of Republican doctrine with a fire and vigor that lead many men in the state to continue to look upon him as the real leader either in counsel or attack.

The local contest is clearly shaped, with four candidates seeking the Republican nomination for Representative and a single candidate seeking the Democratic nomination for this same position. The four candidates for the Republican nomination promise to let their own qualifications be known very clearly, if they are not already known, between now and the date of the primary. The four combine to make four very distinct types from which the

voters may choose. Let us hope for a selection which will guarantee the best possible service for the town and the state.

Making Men "Rich"

It is always very interesting to follow the process of increasing men's wealth by increasing the tax rate, and it is also interesting, if you happen to have a piece of property to sell, to figure out the accuracy of the contention so frequently made that the valuation of property in Andover is very low. We are afraid that we're getting here in Andover, as they are in most other cities and towns in the state, to the limit of both valuation and taxation cost which the average property holder in town can afford.

The list published elsewhere of those who pay a tax exceeding fifty dollars is impressive. Many people are in the list who never supposed they would be, their supposition being based on the belief that they probably would never have sufficient property to justify their paying a tax in excess of fifty dollars. They had that idea when the rate was seven, eight, ten, twelve, and even fifteen dollars, but with a rate approaching twenty, it takes only a small property holder's little home to represent enough to have him think he is in the list of landed proprietors, and, worse than that, to have him appreciate that he is in the list of men standing for taxes that are becoming pretty serious. The careless man who hires a tenement gets a notion, as he sees that his landlord is paying increasing taxes year after year, that the landlord is growing richer, while, because he has a little increased rental put upon him, he is growing poorer. As a matter of fact, only half of this statement is true: he is growing poorer because he is the man who is paying that increased tax that the landlord is assessed for; and when more people, more "ultimate consumers" appreciate that the tax lands on the fellow whose own industry is his sole means of support, then we'll have a correction of the present tendency to make the tax burden an ever increasing one.

Promoting Neighborliness

On Tuesday of this week about thirty thousand people enjoyed a unique program of entertainment on the shores of Gloucester Harbor. The affair was known as "Gloucester Day" and in itself, so far as the program was concerned, had very little of entertainment in it, but as an affair in which everybody became enthusiastically happy without quite knowing why, it was one of the most interesting occasions the writer has ever attended. "Gloucester Day" is the outcome of a pageant worked out by patriotic citizens of Gloucester a number of years ago, and has been keeping itself alive through the momentum gained at that time and because of the rare organizing ability of its presiding genius, Mr. Fred W. Tibbetts.

As already stated, the program of "Gloucester Day" is a very simple one. There isn't a great deal of entertainment, but the striking part of it is that none of the thirty thousand people there seemed to want very much of entertainment. They were getting their entertainment by just rubbing elbows one with another and by being a part of the great throng of people who made up this remarkable neighborhood party and for the day made of themselves one great big family of thirty thousand souls.

We congratulate Gloucester upon this really remarkable occasion, because it is a remarkable occasion when a city of that size can annually forget all other things and gather at one common meeting place where rich and poor and high and low, bump each other in the mixed throng with a feeling of satisfaction because one and all are parts of the big family gathering thus created. Would that more cities and towns could see the tremendous value of the closer relationship and the broader community spirit fostered in this way.

Celebrated Her 85th Birthday

Mrs. Frances A. Holt of Scotland district was 84 years old Saturday and celebrated the day quietly at her home in the same house in which she was born. She is enjoying good health for one of her years. Until she was 18 years of age she lived in her birthplace. At that age she married Joseph E. Holt of North Reading and moved to that town remaining there for some time. In 1882 Mr. Holt died and Mrs. Holt went to Billerica and later to Arlington where she made her home with her daughter Mrs. Frank Winn. About 10 years ago she returned to Andover and again occupied her birthplace, known as the old Cheever place. Mrs. Holt has two children and a number of grandchildren living the former being Mrs. Frank Winn and James O. Holt both of Arlington.

Unclaimed Letters

Benedette Breaux, Miss Bordley, Agnes Brock, Mrs. Martha Buett, William C. Deagan, Frances G. Delchanty, Robert Downworth, Alden S. Foss, Mrs. D. McGurk, Elizabeth Morris, Ann L. Morse, W. B. Newton, Millicent M. Nichol, Mrs. Shirley, Mrs. Fred M. Smith, Jr., Susan E. Sowdon, Frank W. Talmage.

JOHN H. McDONALD, P.M.

Fourteenth Annual Picnic

The employees of the Tyer Rubber Co. held their annual outing Saturday at Nantasket and they were fully rewarded for their week's postponement, for the weather was ideal for a day at the beach. At 7.45 a. m., four well laden special electric left the square and enjoyed a beautiful ride through the Fells to Boston. At Rowe's wharf the excursionists boarded the Nantasket steamer and the sail down the harbor with its many places of interest attracted their attention. They arrived at the beach shortly before eleven o'clock.

Many carried their lunch with them and they gathered in groups on the beach and held a basket picnic, while others indulged in a fish dinner at the various restaurants. In the afternoon the many attractions at the beach were visited and everyone was busy until the call for the homeward journey was made at 6.45. No accident of any kind happened to mar the day's enjoyment and the party arrived home before 10 o'clock. The committee in charge of the successful affair was Frederick Collins, chairman; Thomas Ewing and Ernest King.

MANY BREAKS REPORTED

Houses in Brechin Terrace Ransacked Last Friday Night, but Little of Value Taken. Believed by Police to be the Work of Boys

During the past week several houses in Abbott and Marland Village have been entered during the night and although little of value has been taken, the visits of the marauders have proved very annoying to the occupants. Late Friday night or early Saturday morning Brechin terrace was visited and the house occupied by Charles Valentine, James Moore, Thomas Lowe and George E. Livingston attracted the attention of the burglars. Entrance was gained to the formers' houses through the bath room window, the screen having been removed thereby making access easy. At Mr. Valentine's the thieves made a thorough search of the house, and as they were barefooted as was proved by marks on the woodwork, they made little noise. Everything was turned

upside down but all that was taken was a small amount from a child's bank. Mr. Valentine had a sum of money in the house but fortunately locked it up before retiring. At the other houses similar tactics were employed, money evidently being wanted. James Moore lost several articles of wearing apparel and \$1.50 was taken from Hugh Moore's pocket. George Livingston is missing an Ingersoll watch, two stick pins, a Stowe School pin, while at Thos. Lowe's only a few small articles were appropriated. The police were notified and Chief Smith went over the grounds and after a thorough inspection was of the belief that the work had been done by boys. Reports have been circulated that other houses have been entered, but nothing has been found to verify them.

PRIMARIES NOMINATIONS

Four Republicans and One Democrat for Representative Nominations. Other Papers Filed

The time limit for filing papers for the September Primaries expired last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock and town clerk Geo. A. Higgins received several lists of candidates. The most important from a local standpoint were those for representatives, four candidates for the republican nomination filing. These were Samuel H. Bailey who seeks a third term, Nesbit G. Gleason, Barnett Rogers and Clarence H. Weeks. William J. Cronin who was the Democratic nominee last year has entered in the contest for his party and has no opposition.

Papers were also filed for Samuel McCall, William Shaw and David I. Walsh for governor, but none for Grafton D. Cushing. The Progressive party filed a list of candidates for all officers except senator and representative. Other nomination papers filed are A. C. Delano and John Cuddy for senator, Samuel Johnson for sheriff, Louis S. Cox and Micheal Sullivan for district attorney, Bernard M. Allen, Progressive, also secured the requisite number of signatures placing the initiative and referendum on the ballot at the primaries.

The primaries will be held Tuesday, September 21.

Andover G. A. R. Veterans

The old soldiers of Andover will be peculiarly interested in the announcement of a history which is in process of compilation of the First Regiment of Heavy Artillery, Massachusetts Volunteers. Andover furnished one of the most important companies in this regiment, for from this town went several hundred boys in Company H. Few of them survive, but widows and sons and daughters have almost equal interest in any story of the deeds of valor which marked the part which this important regiment played in the great American tragedy fifty years ago.

The history is being written by Hon. Alfred S. Roe, who is especially well equipped for such work, not only through his natural tastes, but because of his intimate knowledge of all Massachusetts G. A. R. matters through the high places he has held in the state organizations.

Generous friends have already contributed the larger part of the amount necessary, including the amount which the commonwealth will furnish, but there is still needed about six hundred dollars if the work is to be completed as planned. The committee includes Comrade J. Payson Bradlee as chairman, one who is well known in Andover, and includes also our own honored townsman E. Kendall Jenkins, who is serving as treasurer of the committee. The work is well worth while and should command the interest of not only veterans but those who are interested in the old soldiers.

Ice Court News

Wednesday afternoon before Judge Stone, Paul V. Casey, who claimed no residence, was sentenced to thirty days in the Lawrence jail for vagrancy. He confessed to being a tramp and had been at the game for twenty years. Although having but one leg he claims to have visited all parts of the country; and hoped to spend next winter in Pasadena, Cal. He went very willingly to jail and said he would be sure of a place to sleep and something to eat besides getting a bath.

Officer Dunnells arrested Joseph Smith of Haverhill Wednesday evening for trespassing in Dr. Garland's garden in Frye Village. He spent the night in the cell and Thursday morning was sent on his way after leaving a \$2 assessment.

Guests at The Phillips Inn

The following guests registered at the Phillips Inn during the past week: R. Savageau, Denver, Colo.; J. Beveridge Lee, Philadelphia, Pa.; Joseph O. Thibodeau, Boston; F. F. Fritts, Dayton, O.; Mrs. Louise Hawthorne, H. L. Hawthorne, Boston; Mary Ward, Boston; Charles T. Chase, N. P. Balby, Philadelphia, Pa.; R. H. B. Fuller, Stamford, Ct.; J. M. Jones, Miss Myrtle L. Jones, Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Allan Woods, New York; Mrs. M. E. Merritt, Miss E. R. Merritt, Brookline; Henry P. Briggs, Brookline; Joseph O. Thibodeau, Foster Rogers, M. L. Hargis, Boston; F. J. Sperry, Plainfield, N. J.; Carlton B. Stetson, Boston; Miss Endicott, Beverly Farms; Miss Guffon, Boston, Henry P. Briggs, Brookline.

Held Annual Float Night

The Andover Canoe Club held its third annual illumination and float night on the Shawheen River last Saturday evening, and with plenty of water and splendid weather conditions, the affair was a great success. At seven o'clock the members gathered at the club house on Lupine Road and began decorations of their canoes. Promptly at eight o'clock 13 canoes most attractively decorated with Chinese lanterns and electric headlights formed in line and made a pretty sight as they floated down the stream towards Abbott Village where a large crowd had gathered on the banks. The procession was led by Commodore Clarence H. Weeks and upon its return to the club house the committee announced the winners of the contest for the most artistic decorations. First prize for ladies was won by Miss Helen Holt who had transformed her canoe into a Venetian gondola in a very clever manner. Rear Commodore Stanley A. Pratt was awarded the first prize for men and showed considerable ingenuity in his successful change of his canoe to a battleship with wireless outfit. Second prize went to James Nicoll of Shawheen, Road whose decorations made his canoe appear like an East Indian junk.

A dance followed in the club house, John Dugan acting as floor director. Refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The committee in charge consisted of Commodore Clarence W. Weeks; Captain John M. Erving; 1st lieutenant John A. Burt; 2nd lieutenant George W. Donovan; John L. Dugan, chairman social committee and Horace Hale Smith chairman of house committee through whose efforts the Andover Canoe club was organized.

The annual corn roast of the club will be held at Pomp's pond on Tuesday evening, August 24 and it is hoped that all members will reserve this date.

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Enjoyable Party

A very enjoyable "kiddie" party was held at the home of Bernice Boutwell on Saturday evening, August 14. Games were played and music tried. The refreshments were headed by "crackers and milk" a real children's dish. Among those present were representatives of many schools including Mt. Holyoke and Smith Colleges, Boston University, Harvard, Mass. Agricultural College, Phillips, Dedham and Abbott Academies, and Lowell, Lawrence, Andover and N. Andover High Schools. The "kiddies" were Gladys Foster, Marion Chase, Ruth Clark, Christine Rundlett, Esther Bennett, Elsie Van Doosen, Ruth June, Emma Boutwell, Olive Hardy, Lucretia Flint, Phyllis Cunningham, Dorothy Cutler, William Bennett, Harlan Foster, Boutwell Foster, Rudolf Johnson, Fred Hardy, George Knowlton, Alston Chase, Thomas Carter, James Carter, Herbert Carter, Medwin Matthews, Kenneth Hardy, Jack Fraser, Everett Boutwell and George Cobb.

Band Concert Wednesday

A band concert will be given next Wednesday evening in the Park by Chapman's Band of Reading. Last year five concerts were given by this band and as formerly tags will be sold to defray expenses.
The program will be as follows:
March "On Guard"
Overture "Poet and Peasant"
Boquet of Popular Airs
Selection "American Fantasia"
Rendick
Selection Popular Airs
"Shadowland"
March "Bell of York"
Selection "Carmen"
March "Old Friends"
Star Spangled Banner
R. B. Hall
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Fleet
Theo. Bendick
Rendick
L. B. Gilbert
H. C. Miller
Blest
H. J. Crosby
GEO. D. CHAPMAN,
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Concert 7.45 to 9.45 P.M.
Mrs. Charles Flanders of Main street has returned from a vacation spent at Hampton beach.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hall of Florence street have returned from a vacation spent in Bradford, N. H.

ANDOVER'S HEAVY TAX PAYERS

Largest List of Citizens Paying Over \$50 Ever Published Due to Increased Tax Rate. Tyer Rubber Co. Pays Heaviest Corporation Tax, William M. Wood Largest Individual

The list of taxpayers who pay \$50 and over is published below, and the increased tax rate of \$19 is responsible for the larger list than usual. Tyer Rubber Co. pays the largest corporation tax, contributing \$14,915 to the town treasury. William M. Wood is the biggest individual taxpayer with \$3,554.43, which, together with Mrs. Wood's, brings their tax bill up to \$4,774.71. Other big contributors are Smith & Dove, \$8,253.60; Andover National Bank, \$3,462.50; Lawrence Gas Co., \$3,765.80; M. T. Stevens Sons Co., \$2,968.75; Ballardvale Mills, \$2,502.12; Phillips Academy, \$2,460.50. The Barnard estate's tax is \$2,562.63.

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Abbot Academy	1016.50	Craig, James C.	87.50
Abbott, Mrs. Alice	60.80	Cullinane, Mrs. Mary, estate	74.10
Abbott, Anna B.	76.00	Cummings, Mrs. Lydia A., est.	104.50
Abbott, Charles E.	243.30	Cunningham, Janet	60.80
Abbot, George	477.00	Currier, William D.	123.60
Abbott, Mrs. Margaret E.	167.20	Coulson, Walter & Chas. H. Littlefield, trus. E. W. Pitman	386.65
Abbott, Mrs. Margaret R.	64.60	Chase, Addie S.	50.35
Abbott, Mary E.	95.00	Daley, Patrick J.	280.35
Alden, John	154.00	Dane, Louis A.	51.40
Allen, Bernard M.	102.70	Davis, Franklin B. N. Andover	245.10
Allen, Mrs. Helen C.	174.80	Dean, John H., estate	76.00
Andover Coal Co.	79.80	Dean, J. Judson	515.00
Andover National Bank	1187.50	Dear, Agnes K.	113.05
Andover National Bank Shares	2375.00	Dearborn, L. F.	65.66
Andover Press	570.00	Dick, Hugo E.	60.90
Andover Realty Co.	332.50	Dodge, F. E.	93.20
Andover Theological Seminary	325.65	Doherty, Jennie	137.75
Andrews, Fred & Geo. S. Minor	133.00	Doherty, John & Jennie	109.25
Abbott, George, Trustee	102.61	Dole, Charles T.	51.40
Baldwin, Clara J.	68.40	Donald, Jean A.	57.00
Baldwin, Mrs. Delphine H.	57.00	Donovan, Chas. E.	63.75
Ballard, Mary A.	665.00	Donovan, Dennis, estate	64.60
Barnard, Henry W.	353.50	Donovan, Mary T.	57.00
Barnard, H. W. & J. H. Campion	123.50	Dowd, Dominick & Ellen	109.25
Barnard, J. W. estate	2562.63	Downes, Elizabeth M. B.	96.90
Barnard, Mrs. J. W.	96.90	Driscoll, Nora M.	64.60
Bartlett, N. E.	388.65	Dulton, Geo. C. H.	59.00
Basso, Andrew	91.30	Eames, Harry M.	163.50
Bell, Charles U.	376.30	Eames, Lemuel H.	112.20
Berry, Nellie E. & Arthur W. Smith, estate J. W. Berry	189.53	Eaton, Geo. T.	139.75
Berry, Samuel D.	64.23	Ellis, Ellen G.	233.70
Blakeley, Minnie F.	66.50	Emerson, Charles F.	102.70
Blanchard, Mrs. Katherine C.	85.50	English, Mrs. Margaret	59.85
Bodwell, H. A.	192.00	Farmer, Mrs. Mary E.	77.90
Boston & Maine R. R.	754.30	Flagg, Burton S.	68.50
Boucher, James	60.90	Flagg, B. S. trustee, W. F. Draper estate	193.80
Boutwell, F. S.	78.00	Flint, Mrs. Frances A.	1255.90
Bowman, Charles	50.45	Flint, John H.	812.78
Bowling Alley (Jackson & Warden)	57.00	Foster, Mrs. Annie M.	180.50
Boyer, Herbert L.	246.53	Foster, Mrs. Caroline	76.00
Bradford, Roy	53.30	Foster, F. H. & Mrs. Sarah A. Green	213.28
Bradshaw, James O.	95.20	Foster, Mrs. Mary J.	119.70
Brewster, Edwin T.	51.40	Foster, Moses, estate	475.00
Brown, Alexander	62.80	French, Adelaide E. Sharon	114.00
Brown, Ben., estate	190.00	French, Edward V.	653.70
Buchan & Francis	205.20	Fuller, James R.	146.40
Buchan & McNally	139.05	Family Shoe Store	95.00
Buck, Mrs. Elizabeth, estate	199.50	Fuller, Josephine B.	71.73
Buck, Walter	97.00	Gay, Florence W.	114.00
Burns, Mrs. Annie T.	431.30	Gibson, Lucy M.	85.50
Burns, David S.	57.10	Gibson, W. H.	138.80
Burns, William J.	218.60	Gilbert, P. F.	125.50
Burt, Mrs. E. M., estate	62.70	Gill, Erastus, estate	187.15
Burt, Hannah E., estate	86.45	Gillen, Agnes F.	95.00
Butterfield, Mrs. Elizabeth P.	364.80	Gleason, Mrs. Mary E.	114.00
Buttrick, Frank A.	132.63	Goldsmith, Mrs. Joanna B.	156.75
Belknap, L. A., estate	522.98	Goldsmith, W. G., estate	54.63
Caldwell, Mrs. Alpetta	77.90	Goodhue, Elizabeth G.	57.00
Campion, John H.	412.40	Grant, Mrs. Edith M.	153.90
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Cann, Geo. W.	581.50	Greene, James H.	60.43
Carlton, Mrs. Blanche W.	104.50	Grosvenor, James	317.40
Carpenter, C. C.	106.50	Groat, Frank B.	161.50
Carter, Clark	59.50	Guttersen, Elizabeth T.	142.50
Chapin, Mrs. Cornelia S.	571.90	Haggerty, James	133.00
Chapman, Harriet M.	171.00	Hall, Mrs. Mary D.	203.30
Chapman, Mrs. Rose A.	798.00	Hannon, Patrick J.	372.50
Chase, Mrs. M. Leslie	57.00	Hardy, Mrs. Harriet P.	112.10
Chase, O. P.	96.53	Hardy, Lewis T.	59.00
Cheever, Miss Ella T.	154.38	Hardy & Cole	455.05
Chickering, Geo. E., estate	131.10	Hamden, John S.	51.40
Christie, Geo. A.	81.80	Hamden, J. Walter, Lynn	123.50
Catholic Church	321.10	Harrington, D. J.	113.10
Christ Church	231.80	Hartigan, David	107.45
Clark, Mrs. Catherine S.	167.20	Hayes, Marjorie	684.00
Clark, Chas. W.	72.30	Hession, Anna	64.60
Clark, Eliza F.	133.00	Hickey, John	97.00
Clark, Thomas F.	78.00	Hickey, Timothy J.	93.00
Club, November	70.30	Higgins, Bertha O.	55.10
Cogswell, John F.	112.10	Higgins, Geo. A.	50.45
Colby, Alfred M.	213.85	Higgins, Mrs. Helen I.	190.00
Cole, Joseph F.	173.00	Hill & Co.	76.00
Cole, Mrs. Minnie	95.00	Hilton, Dan	78.00
Cole, Nancy E., estate	95.00	Hilton, Jonathan	55.20
Coleman & Co.	53.20	Hitchcock, L. F.	154.00
Collins, Daniel A.	53.30	Holt, Mrs. Alice P.	133.00
Collins, John C.	59.00	Holt, Frank L.	96.05
Collins, Mary C.	91.20	Holt, Geo. E.	50.45
Conroy, Mrs. Alice A.	76.00	Holt, John V.	79.90
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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Kenneth Foster of Summer street is enjoying a few days at Freeport, Me.
Mrs. Joseph McCarthy and daughter Irene are spending a week with friends in Roxbury.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Towne of Main street are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.
The Christian Endeavor Society of the Free church held a basket picnic at Lynn Beach, Saturday afternoon. About 25 members attended and reported a pleasant outing.

Among those present were the following: Misses Grace Stevens, Florence Mears, Maria Fairweather, Lizzie Cole, Ada Cole, Mrs. Angie Cross and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Dearborn.

Eugene Henderson of Red Spring is recovering from his serious accident of last Thursday. His skull was fractured and his right ear drum broken but it is expected that no serious results will follow.

Several local republicans will attend the Essex Republican club's annual outing at Suntaug Inn, Lynfield, tomorrow afternoon. The principal speaker will be Senator Lodge, while Hon. Samuel McCall and Hon. Grafton D. Cushing will be among the guests.

On Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren F. Dearborn on Elm street, an enjoyable party was held, when a number of friends pleasantly surprised their daughter, Miss Marion Dearborn in honor of her birthday. The hostess was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present, games, music and refreshments being participated in by all until a late hour.

After a layoff of over two weeks, work has been resumed on the reconstruction of Elm street. This week the road bed has been macadamized as far as Wolcott avenue and a tarvia blanket applied from Washington avenue to Whittier street. Supt. Cole will construct the northerly side of the street as far as John H. Flint's first. Curbings have been placed on all the street corners, making a greatly improved appearance. Catch basins have also been put in at intervals. It is expected the street will be finished in about two weeks.

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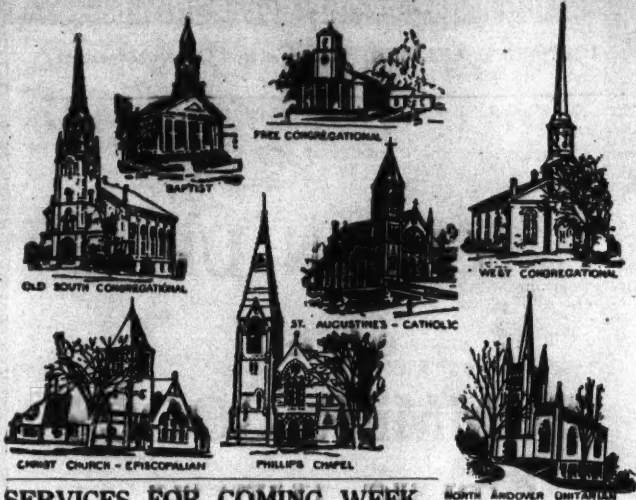
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10.30. Morning worship. Sermon by the Rev. Clark Carter.
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1828

Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor

10.30. Preaching by Rev. Frederick W. Greene of Middleton, Conn.

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Services omitted through the vacation.

FREE CHURCH

5th Street
Congregational. Organized 1846

Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by Pastor
7.45 Wednesday. The mid-week prayer and conference service. Subject: "The Hymns of Frederick W. Faber."

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal. Organized 1835

Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry

10.30. Morning prayer with sermon.
Holy communion first Sunday of each month.
These services will continue through the summer

BAPTIST CHURCH

Organized 1832

Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor

10.30. Preaching by Rev. C. A. Towne of Haverhill.
7.00. Evening service, conducted by the Y. P. S. C. E.
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting. Word for Scripture—Bodily.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH

Roman Catholic. Organized 1830

Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor

6.30 Sunday. Mass and instruction.
8.00. Mass and instruction.
10.30. High mass and sermon.
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday.

3.30. Vespers, rosary, and benediction.
7.30 Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.
First Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Council.

Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name society.
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for Children of Mary.

Holy Name society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.

Knights of Good Council meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.

Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month

NORTH PARISH CHURCH

No. Andover Centre
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Rev. Wm. S. Nichols, Minister

10.30. Morning Worship.
11.45. Sunday School.
Electric cars from Elm Square station at Wilson's Corner going both ways. Take car leaving Elm Square at 10.15 and transfer to North Andover Center.
A cordial welcome to all.

GERMANS LOOK FOR SYMPATHY

Object of Alleged Expensive Campaign in United States

AN OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION

State Department Seeking Facts Regarding Newspaper Charges That Kaiser's Representatives Are Involved in Propaganda Said to Be a Violation of Neutrality

Federal justice department agents are probing wholesale charges of a \$2,000,000-a-week German propaganda in the United States, as they are appearing in documentary and other form in the New York World. Attorney General Gregory admitted. "I cannot say we have gone very deeply into the matter as yet," he said, "but the department takes official cognizance of such things and there may be developments later, or there may not, depending upon what is brought to light. The department will probe thoroughly anything that looks like a breach of neutrality. Further than this, I do not care to speak."

The attorney general declined to say whether any member of the German embassy is under surveillance, whether the government seriously considers the possibility of an organized German propaganda in America, or if he suspects any connection between the arrest of Walter Ortolph, alleged spy, in Florida, and the alleged general scheme of German activities.

Promotion of pro-German propaganda, indeed, not only is a legitimate activity, but comes near to being the diplomatic duty of German representatives in this country, officials privately said, but they agreed that the methods of such a campaign might overstep ethical if not legal bounds.

This is the phase of The World's charges with which the government agencies will particularly concern themselves.

A high government official stated that the administration was already cognizant of many of the circumstances cited in the newspaper exposure. Administration officials generally, however, manifested reluctance to discuss the newspaper charges until they are formally brought to the administration's attention.

One important effect of the newspaper disclosures of German activity in this country, it is believed, will be to rid the administration of worry over congressional meddlers in the approaching session.

President Wilson has deprecated an extra session of congress partly because of his knowledge that many members desire to make an issue of the export of munitions to belligerents.

Now, on top of the lucid and convincing reply of Secretary of State Lansing to the Austrian note, comes the disclosure, backed by documentary proof, that Germany has been intriguing in the United States to minimize shipments of munitions to the allies and to secure corresponding advantages for herself.

Americans and Germans alike are found to have been in German pay to this end, and the ceaseless charge of German newspapers that American public opinion has been "influenced by British gold," is found to be substantiated in the other direction.

ALIENS IN AMERICA

Many Millions of Them Owe Fidelity to Nations in Europe

That there are 8,000,000 able-bodied men in the United States who owe allegiance to European nations was disclosed in labor department statistics.

These naturalization bureau figures showed 14,000,000 foreign born persons in the country who have not acquired citizenship.

Of the 8,000,000 able-bodied males, most of whom are said to have had military training, approximately 2,500,000 were given as Germans and Austrians. Of the remaining 5,500,000, records indicated that approximately 4,500,000 owe allegiance to the entente allies.

Death of General Black
General John C. Black, Civil War veteran, former congressman, former United States commissioner of patents and a member of the United States civil service commission, died suddenly at Chicago. He was commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. in 1903.

Minister a Suicide
Silas N. Ebesole, 60, former Dunkard minister, committed suicide in the jail at South Bend, Ind. He was charged with the murder of 15-year-old Hazel Macklin, who had been strangled to death.

Wish of 110-Year-Old Girl
The wish of Mrs. Catherine Fourth of Newark, N. J., on her 110th birthday was that women will never get the vote, because it will "reduce them to an equality with men."

Death of Old Port Warden
Captain Horace N. Berry, 84, twenty-five years one of the Boston port wardens, died at his home. Last week Berry resigned as warden.

RUSSIAN LINES IN GREAT PERIL

Teutons Deliver Severe Blow to Forces of the Czar

KOVNO FORTRESS CAPTURED

Kaiser's Army Now Has Open Road to Warsaw-Petrograd Railway—Another Besieged Fortress Believed About to Fall—Army of Grand Duke Nicholas in Imminent Danger of Being Enveloped—Ten Persons Killed in German Air Raid

The capture of the fortress of Kovno, announced in the official report from Berlin, is considered one of the worst blows of the war to Russia.

The amazingly short time in which the fortress was taken is looked upon as conclusive proof that the Russians have no ammunition for the heavy artillery, and without such equipment the military experts cannot see how they can make a stand anywhere.

The retreat from the Warsaw line was considered comparatively unimportant as long as the Russian commander-in-chief was able to keep his armies intact. It was then conveniently expected in some quarters that the Russians would be able to permanently check the German advance on the Kovno-Grodno-Brest-Litovsk line. Now that one of the main fortresses of that line is gone there seems to be little hope for the rest of the line holding.

In fact the capture of Kovno leaves the road open to Vilna and the Warsaw-Petrograd railway. It further permits of a flank movement on the Russian forces operating further down on the line.

Main Defense Threatened
Not only is Kovno captured, but the main defense of the new line, the fortress of Brest-Litovsk, is now threatened. The Berlin report says that von Mackensen's forces have driven the Russians they have been pursuing into the outer defenses of the great fortress, and doubtless by this time Germany's big guns are hammering at these defenses.

If the equipment at Brest-Litovsk is no better than that at Kovno that fortress is doomed for an early capitulation and the entire line will crumble. Then the Russian armies will have to retreat farther east.

The fortress of Novogeorgievsk, near Warsaw, which was left to be besieged so that it might hamper the German advance, is also being fiercely attacked, and some of the outer forts have already fallen. Here there is a garrison of probably 50,000 men and they will be taken prisoners whenever the place is captured.

Russians in Tight Place

For the first time since he began his retirement from western Galicia, in May, Grand Duke Nicholas, in the opinion of military observers, finds part of his army in serious danger of envelopment. The military writers express curiosity as to how he will extricate it.

The Russian commander continues an orderly retreat, as is evidenced by the fact that excepting the guns taken with the fortress of Kovno or captured in the forts of Novogeorgievsk, two more of which have fallen, the Germans make no claim to the capture of artillery.

It would appear also that few prisoners have been taken, which doubtless means that a considerable part of the Austro-Germans in their most recent advance have not met with serious fighting.

With Kovno in German hands and another German army across the huge south of Brest-Litovsk, a speedy exit, according to military observers, is the only safe one for the Russians if they are to escape before the second set of pincers prepared for them are closed.

The Latest Air Raid
While fighting to crush the Russian army, the Germans are finding time for minor activities in other fields. They carried out their seventeenth air raid on England, visiting eastern counties, where they dropped bombs, which, according to the official communication, killed ten and injured thirty-six civilians.

As in the previous raid, the admiralty reports that it believed one of the Zeppelins, of which there are supposed to have been four, was damaged.

BLOW TO ENGLISH PRIDE

Transport Sunk in Aegean Sea With Loss of a Thousand Lives

The sinking of the transport Royal Edward, with a loss of about a thousand lives, is a harder blow to England's pride than the loss of several times that number of men in battle.

The news came as a shock to the public, for it had come to be a boast that Germany, with all her submarine mines, had been unable in a whole year of war to injure a British transport. And then in the most unexpected location there has come to pass what had come to be looked upon as impossible.

It had always been supposed that the transports most likely to be attacked would be those taking troops to France, but the attack came in the Aegean sea and the victims were

troops on their way to the Dardanelles battleground.

The Royal Edward carried 1350 soldiers, 32 military officers and a crew of about 250 men, a total of 1632. An official statement from the admiralty said that "800 are known to have been saved."

AUSTRIAN CLAIM REJECTED

America Absolutely Neutral Concerning Export of Munitions

The state department made public the reply of the United States, written by Secretary of State Lansing, rejecting views set forth by the Austro-Hungarian government in a recent note contending that exportation of war munitions from America to Austria's enemies was conducted on such a scale as to be "not in consonance with the definition of neutrality."

Though friendly in language and tone, the note flatly denies the Austro-Hungarian contentions and recalls that that country and Germany furnished munitions of war to Great Britain during the Boer war when England's enemies could not import such supplies.

It insists that the American government is pursuing a strictly neutral course and adhering to a principle upon which it would depend for munitions in the markets of the world in case it should be attacked by a foreign power.

The note says Germany has for years done a vast business in selling arms. An embargo, it is pointed out, would bar America's chances to obtain arms if this country were attacked, and would turn every nation into an armed camp if outside purchases were prohibited.

TO ARBITRATE FRYE CASE

Proposition of Germany Is Accepted by the United States

The American reply to the German government on the case of the ship William P. Frye, American merchant liner sunk by German sea raiders, was made public by the state department.

The United States agrees to the proposal of the German government that "each of two governments designate an expert to fix the amount of indemnity for the vessel."

Acceptance of such payments, however, shall be without prejudice to the American contention that the sinking was without legal justification. The American government also agrees to the proposal to submit the Prussian-American treaty involved in the case to a board of arbitration under The Hague agreement.

"In this way," says the note, "the question of indemnity and treaty interpretation can promptly be settled."

The note calls on Germany for a statement, meanwhile, as to whether she intends to conduct her future naval operations in accordance with her interpretation of the Prussian-American treaty or those of the United States.

HURRICANE'S TERRIBLE TOLL

Over a Hundred Lives Lost and \$30,000,000 Property Damage

Direct word from the storm-swept communities of the southeast Texas coast is bringing details of the tropical hurricane which put Galveston, Houston, Texas City and scores of other towns in dire peril.

With large sections of the district yet unvisited from the death list is more than 100, the heaviest reported loss being from Virginia Point, opposite Galveston. The property damage may exceed \$30,000,000, with Galveston contributing half that amount.

According to information available the deaths are recorded as follows: Virginia Point, 30; Texas City, 18; Galveston, 18; Morgan's Point, 11; Hitchcock, 7; Laporte, 7; Port Arthur, 4; Lynchburg, 3; Sylvan Beach, 3; Seabrook, 3; Houston, 2.

NEAR PANIC IN THEATRE

Man Fires Shot at Woman, but Only Hits Empty Seat

Two hundred theatregoers rushed almost in panic from the Theatre Comique, New Bedford, Mass., when Leon M. Ethier, a middle-aged unmarried man, fired a shot from the balcony at May Holland, 30, who sat in the orchestra.

The shot missed the woman, striking an empty seat next to her, the only empty seat in six rows around where she sat. She coolly went to the balcony, where a policeman seized Ethier, and grabbed the gun while the men were struggling.

Questioned at the police station, Ethier told a rambling story in explanation of his act, and claimed the woman had stolen some money from him two months ago.

Pioneer Shoe Company Adds

The P. J. Harney Shoe company, one of the largest and oldest shoe manufacturing firms in Lynn, Mass., made an assignment to the amount of \$250,000. The Harney company employs over 800 persons.

Russell to Hold Old Post

W. W. Russell, former minister to the Dominican republic, will be reappointed to that post to succeed James M. Sullivan, whose resignation was recently forced.

Receiver For Missouri Roads

Benjamin F. Bunn was appointed receiver of the Missouri Pacific and of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern railways by Circuit Judge Adams.

GENERAL NEWS EVENTS

Another detachment of American marines has been landed from the warships off Cape Haitien.

An earthquake of twenty-five seconds' duration was felt over all southern British Columbia.

Salvatore Looso, 5, fell sixty-five feet from the sixth floor of his home at Boston, but a scalp wound was the only injury sustained.

Hyman Liebman of New York, convicted of killing his 5-year-old daughter, was sentenced to die in the electric chair the week beginning Sept. 26.

The grand lodge of Vermont, Knights of Pythias, elected Fred A. Whitaker of Bellows Falls grand chancellor.

Frank P. Sheldon, 69, architect of several of the largest mills throughout New England, died at Providence. Fire in a garage resulted in twelve houses in a thickly populated portion of Fall River, Mass., catching fire. The loss is \$25,000.

As a result of burns received when he fell into a pail of boiling water, Angelo Terenti, 23 months old, died at Watfham, Miss.

Nancy Hanks, 2.04 champion trotter from 1892 to 1894, died at Lexington, Ky. J. E. Madden purchased the horse several years ago to pension her until her death.

Joseph Bentley, 8, was drowned under a bridge at Boston.

District of Columbia militiamen, starting for annual encampment, were ordered to learn to swim before returning, under penalty of expulsion.

The Swedish steamer Sperge parted amidships during a storm on the North sea and was beached, a total loss.

Edward La Freniere, 12, of Malden, Mass., was drowned while bathing.

Francis L. Southerland, Jr., 3, was drowned in an unused well at Wapole, Mass.

Frank Sousa of Lowell, Mass., was killed in a collision of motorcycles near Nashua, N. H.

About half of the business section of Upper Rochester, N. Y., was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$200,000.

Colonel C. M. Perkins, recently restored to the active list of the marine corps by an act of congress, was assigned to command the marine barracks at Puget sound.

Washington police will have coat pockets, under new uniform tailoring regulations, which will enable them to reach their guns quickly.

At the North End park, Boston, Gaspard Tortorici, 16, failed to come up after a dive.

All Maryland was released from the federal quarantine against foot and mouth disease.

A trolley car ran down and killed a 3-year-old Louis Lopresti at Maymour, Conn.

A chaos of smoldering embers marks the site of the Carlton hotel at Asbury Park, N. J., burned to the ground in a spectacular fire. The damage is \$100,000.

Leon Veich, 22, of Springfield, Mass., was killed as a result of an automobile accident near Paterson, N. J.

The Eaton Shoe company at Augusta, Me., has just signed another contract for shoes for the Italian army.

The manufacturers of Bridgeport, Conn., have declared in favor of a fifty-four-hour week in all shops.

William R. Hunter, 52, prominent as a cotton leader at Newport, R. I., and in Boston, died at his Newport home.

Lena Constantino, 2, was instantly killed at Dedham, Mass., when she was struck by a trolley car.

John W. Harper, 84, son of the founder of Harper's Weekly, died at his summer home at Biddford Pool, Me., of heart failure.

Two young girls, Georgia Neddo and Kathleen Hayes, were drowned in a pond at Rutland, Vt.

Thomas Mayhew, 5, was drowned in a mill pond at Andover, Mass.

A fire discovered in the stock warehouse of the Frankfort, Pa., arsenal was extinguished quickly by a fire squad.

Charles S. Pierce of Brockton, Mass., 63, owner of the largest shoe finding establishment in Massachusetts, died after a long illness.

War orders for 500,000 pairs of shoes each have been received by the Fred F. Field and C. A. Eaton companies of Brockton, Mass.

Harry Jacobson, 17, was drowned at Quiney, Mass.

James Kelley, 75, a veteran of the Civil war, committed suicide at Millbridge, Me., by hanging.

A train ran into a party of track hands east of Mount Union, Pa., killing six of them.

Baron Ishii, ambassador to France, accepted the foreign portfolio in the new Japanese cabinet.

Fred W. Sutor of Barre was re-elected president of the Vermont branch, American Federation of Labor.

Mrs. Mary Walsh, 75, was killed by an electric car at Freeport, Me.

Rébé Desrochers, 5, was run down and killed at Marlboro, Mass., by an automobile.

In his anxiety to make a successful catch of a fish which was nibbling at his line, James Knowles of Auburndale, Mass., 12, fell into a pond and was drowned.

The body of F. A. Gardella, 34, of Haverhill, Mass., was found floating at Ipswich. He had been lost from a motor boat.

Frank B. Ramsey, 50, famous English artist, died at London.

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Lawson, Geo. D.	133.58	Ward, Martha E. & Harriet M.	57.00		
Leach, H. Sanford	14.80	Watson, Frank	57.00		
Leitch, Mrs. Harriet E.	190.00	Weeks, Eugene L.	59.00		
Locke, Florence M. trustee	58.05	Weeks, John	70.40		
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Low, Joseph H.	119.80	Whitcomb, Mrs. Cora	62.70		
Low, Stella J.	98.80	Whiting, John E.	88.45		
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BASEBALL

Pacific Print 6. Tyer 1.

The Pacific Print works nine gave the first defeat to the Tyer Rubber Co. team, leaders in the Industrial league on the playstead Friday evening, 6 to 1. "Jiggs" Donahue, the one armed pitcher was in the box for the visitors and his work was responsible for the downfall of the Tyer Rubber Co. He had great speed and control and was greatly aided in the former as the last three innings were played in semi darkness. The Print Works team played faster, all-round ball than the locals and were entitled to their victory. They hit harder and more timely and their runs were scored by bunching their hits. "Eddie" O'Connell pitched a good game for the losers allowing only 5 hits, but he passed two and hit a batter. Donahue allowed only 4 hits, passed one and struck out 6. He was best with men on and time prevented runs by clever work when two runners were on. He was given a great hand by the fans when he singled in the fifth his hit leading to two runs. The summary:

PRINT WORKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Burke, 3b.	3	3	2	2	1	2
E. Lynch, cf.	4	2	1	0	0	0
Meyers, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
J. Lynch, 1b.	4	0	0	11	0	0
Sipey, c.	4	0	0	7	1	1
McGowan, ss.	4	0	0	0	1	0
Hodgeson, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Yorke, lf.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Donahue, p.	3	1	0	2	0	0

Totals.....30 6 5 21 7 3

TYER RUBBER CO.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Porter, ss.	3	0	1	0	3	1
Cairnie, 2b.	3	1	0	2	1	1
Lynch, 3b.	2	0	0	1	3	1
O'Connell, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0
Collins, c.	3	0	2	6	0	0
Killackey, cf.	3	0	1	0	0	1
Hilton, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carroll, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rodgers, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kaefe, lf.	3	0	0	12	0	0

Totals.....25 1 4 21 10 4

Innings.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7
Print works.....0 0 2 0 2 0 2-6
Tyer Rubber Co.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0-1
Three base hits, Burke. Sacrifice hits, Lynch. Double plays Burke to J. Lynch. Left on bases, Pacific Print Works 6; Tyer Rubber 6. First base on balls, off Donahue 1, off O'Connell 2. Hit by Pitcher by O'Connell (Yorke.) Struck out by Donahue 6 by O'Connell 6. Time 1h. 4m. Umpire Lawson.

Tyer 2. Ayer 0

The Tyer Rubber company's ball nine defeated the Ayer mill team in a six inning Industrial League contest on the local playstead Monday evening by the score of 2 to 0. The game was a pitcher's battle for the first five innings, one hit being made off O'Connell and two off F. Harrison, but in the sixth the local boys landed on him for 2 two-base-hits and together with Jennings' error scored the only two runs of the game. Welch's two bagger was a clean one, but O'Connell's was of the scratch variety, Elliott misjudging his fly. F. Harrison had ten strikeouts to his credit, while O'Connell was close behind with nine. The summary:

TYER RUBBER CO.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Porter, 3b.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Welsh, ss.	3	1	1	0	2	0
Lynch, 2b.	3	0	1	4	1	1
O'Connell, p.	3	1	1	0	2	0
Collins, c.	3	0	0	9	1	0
Killackey, cf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hilton, lf.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Carroll, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cairnie, 1b.	2	0	0	2	0	1

Totals.....24 2 4 18 7 3

AYER MILL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Brown, 3b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lund, ss.	2	0	0	2	2	1
F. Harrison, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
H. Harrison, c.	2	0	0	9	2	0
Hennessey, lf.	2	0	1	0	0	1
Jennings, 2b.	2	0	0	0	1	1
Miller, 1b.	2	0	0	6	0	0
Beck, cf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Elliott, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0

Totals.....20 0 1 8 7 3

Tyer.....0 0 0 0 0 2-2
Two base hits, Welsh, O'Connell; Stolen bases, Collins 2, Lund 2; Left on bases, Tyer Rubber Co. 4, Ayer Mill 3; First base on balls, off O'Connell 1. First base on errors, by Ayer Mill 3, by Tyer Rubber Co. 2; Struck out by O'Connell 9, by F. Harrison 10. Time 58 min. Umpire, Lawson.

Tyer 1. Washington 1

Tyer Rubber Co. and Washington Mills met in an Industrial league game on the local playstead Tuesday evening. Both teams played good ball but the contest was marred by continual wrangling. At the end of the sixth inning each side had scored one run and after five minutes' arguing it was finally decided to play another round. Tyer got the bases full and Welch scored on a passed ball. As he reached the home plate he was tripped by one of the visitors and a scrap resulted. The spectators crowded on the field and the game was called, the score reverting to the sixth inning.

Tyer 11. Everett 2

The Tyer Rubber Company defeated the Everett Mill team in a league game on the Ward 4 playground in Lawrence, Thursday evening 11 to 2. Stevens Mill also won, giving them the lead 1 won, 1 lost. To tie Tyer must win their two remaining games in which case a play-off would be necessary. Tyer defeated Stevens Mills in the only game they lost.

Royals Loss First Game

Saturday afternoon on the local playstead the Royals lost their first game of the season to the Dobriners of Lawrence 4 to 1. Their defeat was due more to reckless work on the base rather than any superiority of the visitors as several good chances to score were foolishly thrown away. For six innings it was a close contest with the Royals leading by one run. Remmes pitched air tight ball for six rounds and the visitors secured only three hits, while fanned. In the same time Myers was touched for seven hits but escaped being scored upon by the Royals' poor base running. He lightened up after that and only two hits were made off his deliveries.

Both teams played well in the field. G. Eastwood took care of the initial bag for the first time and was a success having 12 putouts. He also secured two hits. McNally at third turned in a good day's work in the field and at the bat but spoiled it all on the bases being twice caught off first after making singles. Boland at second base had several good plays and scored the only run for his team on his double and McNally's single.

J. Lynch, F. Lynch and Cassidy excelled for the Dobriners with Myers and F. Lynch doing the hitting. The latter connected for two doubles and Myers lined out 3 singles. Connell first up in the sixth doubled to right field but Lynch flied out and Remmes fanned. D. Burke and Cassidy with two out in the seventh W. Burke singled to right and took second on a passed ball. On an attempt to catch him stealing third Brown threw wild and Burke elied the score. Meyers singled and took second when Remmes juggled Brown's easy roller. Porter allowed Connell's grounder to get through him and Brown went to third while Myers tallied. A. Brown's second passed ball scored Brown but further scoring was stopped when J. Lynch flied out to Daly. In the ninth J. Lynch scored the fourth run on his double to centre and W. Burke's single. The summary:

DOBRINERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Lynch, 1b.....	4	0	0	5	2	1
D. Burke, c.....	4	0	0	9	1	0
C. Burke, 3b.....	4	0	0	1	0	1
Cassidy, ss.....	4	0	0	5	1	0
F. Lynch, 2b.....	4	1	2	3	3	0
W. Burke, cf.....	4	1	2	1	0	0
Myers, p.....	3	1	3	0	4	0
Brown, lf.....	4	1	0	2	9	0
Connell, rf.....	4	0	1	1	1	0

ANDREW BASSO

SPECIAL THIS WEEK
 3 Large Rocky Ford Melons 25c
 Fancy Georgia Peaches, basket 50c
 (between three and four dozen)

Plums, Pineapples, Bananas,
 Watermelons, Pears, Blueberries

All New and Fresh Goods

BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
 REV. AUGUSTUS H. FULLER, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by pastor.
 Sunday School to follow.
 6.00. Y. P. S. C. E.
 7.30. Thursday evening. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 REV. RALPH C. SCOTT, Pastor

10.30. Morning worship with Sermon by pastor.
 Sunday School to follow.
 6.15. Epworth League.
 7.00. Praise service with address by pastor.
 7.30. Thursday evening. Prayer meeting.

Daniel H. Poor of the firm, Poor & Riley, is taking a week's vacation.

Mrs. Chester Matthews is quite ill at her home with gripe and tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bonner and children have returned from a two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

John Pickles of Somerville is spending a few days with relatives in the village.

Mrs. Delia Teague of Centre street is at home after a week's visit with friends in Brockton.

Miss Ruth Kilbourne, a recent guest at the home of Henry Platt, has returned to her home in East Cohasset.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Fuller returned Saturday from Beverly where they spent their vacation.

Mrs. J. W. Purington of Marland road is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Bean in Amesbury, Mass.

Mrs. E. E. Mitchell of York Beach, Me. and Miss Johnson of Chicago, Ill., were guests Tuesday of Mrs. J. S. Stark.

Miss Emeline C. Bates of Chicago, Ill. was the recent guest of Miss Martha D. Byington.

Mrs. J. H. Smith returned home Saturday from Maine where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Martha White of Westboro returned to her home Monday after a short stay with relatives in the village.

Rev. Edward P. Kelley of Belcher-town was the guest Thursday of his aunts the Misses Julia and Mary Brown.

Andrew Steed of Centre street is spending the week with his sister Mrs. John Rikels in Somerville.

Miss Ethel Coupe of Providence, R. I. is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William Matthews of Andover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daly are spending their vacation at Harpswell, Maine.

Miss Alice Kayley has returned from Lawrence where she has been visiting cousins.

Dr. R. S. Tracy is spending several weeks at Lake Wahwaska, Ontario, Canada.

Miss May Trow is spending her vacation of two weeks' with relatives in Medford.

Mrs. Converse Parker and daughter Ruth are guests today of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Matthews in Lowell.

Mrs. Mary Cartin has returned to her home in Fall River after visiting relatives in the village.

Mrs. Thomas J. Langan and niece, Miss Helen Hughes of Scranton, Pa., are guests at the home of P. J. Turner.

Miss Katherine Cartin of Fall River is visiting her cousin, Miss Ellen Turner of Andover street.

Miss Cora Richardson of Lexington has been spending the week at the home of her uncle Charles W. Richardson, High street extension.

Chester Greenwood of Worcester is spending several weeks with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Greenwood of Dale street.

John W. Hall of Methuen has purchased of Edward Hall land on Dacomb road on which he will build a house to occupy as a home.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett W. Ireland and little daughter who have been the guests of Mrs. Ireland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Clemons, returned Tuesday to their home in Auburn, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. James Petty and son, Frank and daughter, Mrs. Francis Juhlman and little son, have returned from Hampton beach where they spent a week.

Mrs. Bertha Graves and daughter, Vivian of Newburyport returned to their home Wednesday after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Clemons.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Ralph D. Head, of Pittsfield, and son, John Jarvis, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Cole at Boulderbrook, Highland Road.

The regular meeting of the Andover Grange will be held at the Hall, Tuesday evening, August 24. The Grange Reminder will be published that evening, among other features will be that of original stories. There will be a household department to which all good grange housewives are asked to contribute, also local items of interest, news from other granges, and an advertising department. Come and enjoy the fun.

The annual meeting of the Abbott Village Coal Society was held last Friday evening when the report of the secretary was read and accepted. It was then voted to form a new society for the next year with the following members as officers: President Charles Hughes, Vice-president Patrick Bassett, Secretary Thomas David, Treasurer George Petrie. The just payment of the new society will be made Friday, October first. Any one wishing to become members can do so on or before that date by giving their names to any of the above named committee.

Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge held an enjoyable outing, at Bass Point, Nahant, Wednesday. The weather although a trifle cool, favored the merry-makers and about fifty attended, making the trip on a special electric which left the square at 8.15 a.m. Many enjoyed a basket lunch while others took advantage of a fish dinner served at the restaurants. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Carrie S. Buchan, Noble Grand; Charlotte M. Hill, Vice Grand; Miss Mae E. Morrill, William Brown and Frank L. Holt.

Held Lawn Party

The T. J. B. held a lawn party on Saturday evening at the home of Miss Bessie Sellers. Games were played and refreshments served after which there was dancing and a few vocal selections. The party broke up at a late hour after having enjoyed a pleasant evening. Those present were the following: Misses Annie Zalla, Sadie Hastings, Lillian Sutcliffe, Loretta Abercrombie, Sarah Hilton, Lucy Biley and Alice Hoyle of Methuen, Jennie Dugan, Beatrice Poland, Charlotte Dick, Ruth Sellers, Mrs. Miller of Beverly, Edith Elliott, Mina Keery, Mrs. Sellers and Bessie Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley of Waltham, Messrs. William and George Eldred, Frank Keefe, Harry Hilton, Charles Spark, James Dugan, William Sellers, Frank McNulty, Matthew Erwood of Lawrence, Mr. Miller of Beverly, Tom Bruce of Ballardvale, and James Feather.

A Strong Candidate



The contest for the Republican nomination for District Attorney in Essex County appears to be shaping strongly in favor of Hon. Louis S. Cox of Lawrence.

Mr. Cox was born in Manchester, N. H., Nov. 22, 1874; he received his preliminary education in the public schools of that city and graduated from Dartmouth College in 1896. He was admitted to the bar in 1899 after graduating from Boston University Law School. Coming to Lawrence in 1900 he associated himself with the Hon. Charles A. DeCourcy. When Judge DeCourcy was appointed to the Superior Court Bench, Mr. Cox formed a partnership with Col. John P. Sweeney and Harry R. Dow, which continued until Mr. Dow was made a Judge of Probate for Essex County.

Mr. Cox's law practice has been varied and his success pronounced. His principal work has been in the trial of cases, both on the civil and criminal side of the courts, and his ability along these lines is well known to the many men who have served as jurors.

Mr. Cox is married and has two children, living on an extensive farm in Methuen, which he conducts as a side issue with resultant pleasure and profit. He has served in the House and Senate with high credit, was postmaster of Lawrence for four years, and will bring to the office of district attorney a rare, legal equipment, which, combined with a broad experience in many activities, fit him for most efficient public service in that important position.

Report Now Ready for Distribution

The Annual Report of the Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture has just come from the press and may be obtained by application to the Secretary, at 136 State House, Boston. The book this year is a volume of 687 pages of reading matter and 54 pages of illustrations. In addition to a review of the year 1914 from the farmers' standpoint, which is contained in the report of Secretary Wilfrid Wheeler, the book is full of solid and valuable information for farmers. Cranberry Growing, Rat Riddance, Farm Sewage Disposal, Cooperation in Fruit Growing in Nova Scotia, Alfalfa Growing, Farm Water Supplies from the Health Standpoint, are among the topics treated, each one by experts. There is a very brief, clear and practical article on "The Home Vegetable Garden," by Allen French, containing a map for the layout of a garden 165 x 100 feet, and this article should prove useful to both suburbanite and farmer.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Essex:

Respectfully libels and represents Caroline A. Greallish, of Andover, in said county, that she was lawfully married to Edward J. Greallish, now of Manchester, in the State of New Hampshire, at said Manchester, on the twenty-first day of September, A.D. 1905, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Edward J. Greallish lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit, at Lawrence in said County and also in said Andover, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Edward J. Greallish, being wholly regardless of the same, at said Lawrence utterly deserted your libellant and such desertion has continued for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel; that at said Lawrence and said Andover said Edward J. Greallish has been guilty of cruel and abusive treatment of your libellant; and that said Edward J. Greallish being of sufficient ability, grossly or wantonly and cruelly refuses or neglects to provide suitable maintenance for your libellant.

WHEREFORE your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Edward J. Greallish and that she may be decreed the care and custody of Margaret Greallish, aged nine years, Edward Greallish, aged seven years, and Caroline Greallish, aged five years, minor children of said Edward J. Greallish and herself.

Dated this thirteenth day of August, A.D. 1915.

CAROLINE A. GREALLISH.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Superior Court, August 14, 1915.

ESSEX, SS.

Upon the foregoing libel, ordered, that the said libellant give notice to said Edward J. Greallish by causing an attested copy of her said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper printed in Andover in the county of Essex, once a week, for three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the return day of this Court, at Salem, within the county of Essex, on the first Monday of October next, and by mailing, forthwith, by registered letter to the libellee at Manchester, in the State of New Hampshire an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon: that he may appear at said Salem within one month from said first Monday of October and show cause, if any he has, why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

Attest, E. B. GEORGE, CLERK.

The foregoing is a true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest, E. B. GEORGE, CLERK.

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We must make room for our large stock of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes for Fall, which will arrive about September 2nd and therefore are offering you unusual bargains to move the remainder of our Summer Stock. We must have the room.

	Formerly	NOW
Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords,	\$4.00 and \$3.50	\$2.95
" " " "	\$3.25 and \$3.00	2.65
" " " "	\$2.50	1.95
" White Rubber Sole Ox.,	\$2.00	1.65
Men's Black and Tan Ox.,	\$6.00 and \$5.50	4.25
" " " "	\$5.00 and \$4.50	3.95
" " " "	\$4.00 and \$3.50	2.95
" " " "	\$3.00	2.65
Miss Mary Jane Pumps,	\$1.75 and \$1.50	1.19
Child's " " "	\$1.50 and \$1.25	98c

Inspect our Ladies' Bargain Tables of Shoes at \$1.69 and \$1.98. Come early while the assortment is good.

The Family Shoe Store

BARNARD BLOCK

ANDOVER

The first annual report of the Boards' Specialist in Agricultural Club Work, Professor William R. Hart, of Amherst, is included in the volume and is illustrated with pictures of the prize winners in the Boys' and Girls' Clubs, and some of their products. A new feature of the book is the printing in it of all agricultural legislation of 1914, so arranged that anyone interested can tell at a glance just what the General Court has done for the farming interests of the state during the past year.

The Board has a limited number of copies of the annual report for distribution. Those wishing the book sent by mail should send postage which will amount to 7 cents in Massachusetts.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
 To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary M. Dean, late of Andover in said County (wife of J. Judson Dean) deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by J. Judson Dean, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named without giving a surety on his official bond:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the sixth day of September A.D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register.

Street Railway Hearing

ESSEX, SS.
 To the honorable the Board of Selectmen of the town of Andover.

Respectfully represents, the Bay State Street Railway Company, that it owns and operates street railway tracks in the town of Andover, and that public necessity and convenience require a certain alteration of location and relocation thereof.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner, as such Street Railway Company, prays for an alteration of location and relocation of its present tracks in Elm street, at Main street in said Andover, together with such switches, curves and cross connection as may be necessary or convenient for the operation of the cars of said Company, and to make all necessary additions to and changes in existing poles, wires and other appliances connected therewith, all substantially as shown on plan of Maintenance of Way Dept. L-324, filed with this petition and that it be granted the right to operate said tracks with electricity as the motive power.

BAY STATE STREET RAILWAY CO.
 By T. J. SULLIVAN President.
 Boston, Mass., July 26th, 1915.

Andover, August 13, 1915
 A hearing on the above petition of the Bay State Street Railway Company for an alteration of location and relocation of its tracks in Elm street will be held at the Town House on Saturday, Sept. 4, 1915, at 7.30 P.M.

HARRY M. EAMES,
 WALTER S. DONALD
 CHARLES BOWMAN,
 Selectmen of Andover.

WEAR HUB RUBBERS
This Winter

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate not already administered of S. Josephine Statish late of Andover in the County of Essex deceased intestate, and has taken upon himself that duty by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

EDWARD SHATTUCK, Adm.
 (Address)
 50 Oliver St.
 Boston, Mass.
 August 5, 1915.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
 To Nellie E. Berry, of Andover, in said County, one of the executors, and to all persons interested in the estate of Jacob W. Berry late of Andover in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, Arthur W. Smith, one of the executors of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County, on the sixth day of September A.D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS.
 To all persons interested in the estate of Irene F. Sanger of Andover, in said County, single woman, a person of advanced age, and to the State Board of Insanity.

WHEREAS, Herbert L. Boyer, conservator of the property of said ward, has presented for allowance his first account as conservator upon the estate of said ward:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County, on the sixth day of September A.D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said conservator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.
 HORACE H. ATHERTON, Jr., Register

To Settle Estate!

The Property on Chestnut St.
 Long the Residence of the late George S. Cole, will be sold at a Sacrifice for IMMEDIATE SALE.

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